



## Region 4 Behavioral Health Board Meeting, Business Meeting

October 14, 2021

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Location: Central District Health

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**Board Member attendees:** Monica Forbes, Co-Chair; Brenda Willson, Co-Chair; Christina Smith, Vice Chair; Dawn Huntington, Secretary; Micah Crawford, Treasurer; Danielle Fanopoulos, Member-at-Large; Jill Chonody; Jamie Giebler; Commissioner Kenyon; Ryan Jensen; Jocelyn Lamb; Amy McKenzie; Imelda Ramirez; Russell Salyards; Rebecca Sprague; Jake Wilson

**CDH attendees:** Tami Cicerol, Laura Smith, Linda Stormes

**Guests:** Crystal Campbell, City of Meridian; Kristina Cowan, Boise State University student; Laura Kiehl, IBHC; Jake LeClair; Rebecca Lee, PEER Wellness; Brooklyn Porter, Boise State University student

Agenda Item	Presenter	Notes
Welcome and Call to Order  Introductions and Review of Mission and Vision  Quorum: simple majority (51%) of active members of the board	Monica Forbes and Brenda Willson, Co-Chairs	Quorum met at 11:03 a.m. and the meeting called to order by Brenda Willson. Brenda read the mission and vision statements.

<p><i>Action item: Approve R4BHB meeting minutes, September 2021</i></p>	<p>Monica Forbes and Brenda Willson, Co-Chairs</p>	<p>Danielle Fanopoulos moved – and Christina Smith seconded – to approve the R4BHB meeting minutes from the September 2021 meeting. The motion passed unanimously.</p>
<p>SIM Mapping Workshops Presentation</p>	<p>Laura Kiehl, Idaho Behavioral Health Council</p>	<p>Laura Kiehl presented on Sequential Intercept Model (SIM) Mapping. The SIM process is being piloted in Canyon, Bonneville, Nez Perce counties.</p> <p>The following questions were posed to Laura Kiehl:</p> <p><i>How do you go about selecting new [IBHC] members and filling vacancies?</i> Most positions are written into the Executive Order from the Governor of how they are selected. Members of the public are appointed by the Governor’s office and the Division of Behavioral Health (DHW) aids in recommendations.</p> <p><i>Ada County could benefit from less restrictions to qualify for Behavioral Health Court. SIM will produce a map in terms of interceptions and resources, which is one informative component for the Idaho Supreme Court and the Department of Corrections.</i></p> <p><i>Regarding training, will they Will they include cultural competence to be mindful of minority groups and populations in the systems that are, for example refugees or Hispanic, native American populations, for those populations?</i> We are trying</p>

		<p>to be conscious of that when we do implantation teams and consider the different areas that we are working on in their individual populations. Everyone is being conscious of that and trying to create diversity as much as possible.</p> <p><i>Are there considerations for youths that are involved in white supremacy or gang-related groups as well?</i> I have not heard that discussed specifically.</p> <p><i>How does someone become involved in the pilots for SIM workshops you are mentioning? Who exactly is the target to have on those specific pilots?</i> Trial court administrators in each of the districts have been asked to start choosing their team and we are helping them narrow it down. If you want to be involved, let me know and I can get you in touch with the people, but those lists are going to be narrowed down quite a bit depending on what voices they feel need to be in the room.</p> <p><i>Is your group working with the 988 workgroup?</i> Laura asked for contact information for whom she needs to speak with to get that going forward. Micha referenced Nicole Coleman and will email her contact information.</p> <p>Micha explained 988 is a program like 911 but for mental health emergencies segmented from 911</p>
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		<p>so it is specific for mental health response. Utah has a comparable program.</p> <p><i>Does the Behavioral Health Council work directly with the Department of Juvenile Corrections? Yes.</i></p> <p><i>How do you plan to implement the workshops in each county you identified and will this be a multidisciplinary approach or just with behavioral health? The PRA consulting firm will conduct the workshops. PRA is skilled in conducting SIM workshops and will focus on behavioral health.</i></p> <p><i>When updating the Idaho Civil Commitment process – will the involuntary hold be updated as well? Yes. The group consists of several individuals well versed in the commitment process. Will the involuntary holds for the aged population be explored? Yes. The primary focus is to clean up language.</i></p> <p><i>What areas will the IBHC and the Behavioral Health Planning Council collaborate? What areas are exclusively the domain of the IBHC? There was overlap between the two groups in creating the strategic plan. The Behavioral Health Planning Council continues to provide guidance and direction on service and delivery. IBHC will focus on systematic change and collaboration.</i></p> <p><i>Is the IBHC a time-limited group, meaning, will the group eventually conclude work on the strategic</i></p>
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		<p><i>plan and disband?</i> Unknown at this time but will continue constant discussions. The state currently have funds to move on actionable items.</p> <p><i>How will activities of the strategic plan impact the regional behavioral health boards and the health districts?</i> There will be more resources for regional providers, such as the Certified Community Behavioral Health Centers (a one-stop-shop for behavioral health). There are opportunities for R4BHB involvement. Contact Laura K. if the Board is interested.</p>
Electronic Rolodex	Dawn Colwell, Secretary	Dawn shared information regarding the Electronic Rolodex.
<p>Board Updates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Partnerships for Success</li> <li>• Recovery &amp; Wellness Subcommittee</li> <li>• Strategic Plan</li> <li>• Telehealth Workgroup</li> <li>• Treasurer Report and DBH Update</li> <li>• Youth Subcommittee</li> </ul>		<p><u>Partnerships for Success (PFS)</u> – Rebecca Sprague</p> <p>Subgrants (4)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Idaho City, Basin Schools 10K</li> <li>• Garden Valley 12K</li> <li>• Horseshoe Bend 12K</li> <li>• Partnership with Project Filter for signs</li> <li>• 67 total youth reached</li> </ul> <p>IDFY 2K</p> <p>Contracts (5)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rescue \$25K</li> <li>• Peppershock \$5K</li> <li>• Between two campaigns we've reached 57K people</li> <li>• Evaluator</li> <li>• BSU MPH Student</li> <li>• Positive Action</li> <li>• SBIRT Trainer</li> </ul> <p>Mini-grants, scholarships and training opportunities (SBIRT) Total \$17,500</p>

		<p>Two awarded for professional development Two pending for curriculum</p> <p>Lock boxes, pouches and print materials over 900 items total Drug Testing swabs 200 distributed</p> <p>Reminder about BHB funding by ODP for professional development (\$1,557 per region)</p> <p><u>Recovery &amp; Wellness Subcommittee</u> – Rebecca Lee Matthew Campbell (new co-chair). Currently revisiting the mission/vision of subcommittee and developing new action items. Also recruiting new subcommittee members.</p> <p><u>Strategic Plan</u> – Tami Cirerol provided an update on activities relating to the R4BHB Strategic Plan.</p> <p><u>Treasure Report and DBH Update</u> – Micah Crawford reported that September financials are not available yet. August expenditures look similar to July with the exception of a mini-grant in the amount of \$1,000 paid out. As far as a DBH update, the biggest thing is on the Department of Behavior Health website where the Idaho Behavior Health plan description and invitation to negotiate process where they are putting some things out for bid. They are looking for a 2023 implementation of some of those programs.</p>
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		<p><u>Youth Subcommittee</u> – Brenda Willson Organizing to find the vision, the goals, what kinds of projects we want to be a part of. Meetings are held on first Tuesday of every month so new meeting will be on November 2nd.</p>
Leadership Call Update	Monica Forbes and Brenda Willson, Co-Chairs	<p>Brenda Willson provided an update: The group discussed an increase in mental health need and an increase in suicidal ideation.</p> <p>During the meeting, a discussion focused on the lack of engagement from the regional behavioral health boards when applying for grant funds. Region 4 was well represented.</p>
Member highlight	Monica Forbes and Brenda Willson, Co-Chairs	Brenda Willson provided the member highlight
Announcements and wrap-up	All	<p><u>Trauma Informed Conference</u> – 200 people have registered for the conference.</p> <p><u>Telehealth Update</u> – Dawn Huntington reached out and connected with Telehealth Idaho Independent Provider Integrational Network (TIIPIN) Charter and will be attending the next meeting. She proposed that we have them do an introduction presentation at the December meeting. She summarized HB127, HB179 and SB 1127.</p>

		<p>Northwest Regional Telehealth Resource Center has a new telehealth mapping tool.</p> <p>Amy McKenzie moved – and Micah Crawford seconded – to conclude the meeting. The motion passed unanimously.</p> <p>Meeting adjourned 12:50 p.m.</p>
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Next scheduled board meeting: December 9, 2021, beginning at 11:00 a.m.





## **Region 4 Behavioral Health Board**

**Mission:** *We improve behavioral health by developing solutions with our communities.*

**Vision:** *An integrated health system accessible to everyone*

**Values:** *Respect – We value all perspectives.*

*Progressive – We move forward.*

*Integrity – We do the right thing.*

*Innovative - We are open to new ideas.*

*Transparent – We clearly show what we do and why we do it.*

### **Strategic Planning Goals**

**Improve** continuity of care through education and awareness.

**Educate** and inform policymakers on statutes that inhibit care.